

SPORTSMANSHIP ON TRIAL, SAYS NEW PAMPHLET

M. U. Student Council Publishes Leaflet on Honor System—
"No Room Here for Cheaters."

WILL TIGER SPIRIT FAIL?

Report to Proper Authorities
Persons Found Abusing
Privileges, Says
Publication.

"Sportsmanship is on trial. Will the Tiger spirit fail?" Under this head a pamphlet has been issued by the Student Council in an effort to show every student his or her responsibility in regard to the Honor System. The pamphlets have been distributed to organizations and classes, and the council expects to put one into the hands of every student.

"We believe that the Honor System can be made as big a success in all the schools as it has been in the School of Law and the School of Medicine if each student realizes that he or she has a responsibility in it," said Fred Elden, student president, in discussing the new pamphlet.

"We want to make the Honor System as much a tradition as the Tiger spirit in the Columns. Then there will be no question as to its working. The University of West Virginia has had the Honor System for over a hundred years. There is no room here for a cheater. There is no room here for one either."

"The honor system has been a success here in professional schools. A wider knowledge of it will make it a success in other schools as well. Since it was inaugurated, April 26, 1918, there have been several men brought before the Student Senate for cheating and several women before the Women's Council on a similar charge. But if everyone shows sportsmanship and puts a little Tiger spirit into backing the Honor System, there will be no need of reporting anyone."

The pamphlet starts with the caption, "The Honor System is Challenged," and goes on:

"We, the students of the University of Missouri, the school which has become noted throughout the Central West for its sportsmanship, alike on athletic field and festive occasion, must compromise the Honor System, admit its failure to challenge the Missouri spirit, and submit as individuals and as a student body, to unsportsmanlike class-room crookedness—or we must stamp out the social sanction for cheating and dishonesty."

The easier thing to do, the pamphlet explains, is to let cheating go on and shut your eyes to these "apparently harmless epigrams" and just drift. But it adds, "Unless you throw off your indifference, your silent partnership with these disreputable parasites, and be-

gin an actively constructive program favoring the higher code of morals, we shall never realize Tiger spirit in the classroom."

The pamphlet completes its appeal by stating that it is the Tiger against the crook and affixes six propositions, the first two to be pledged to, and the others suggesting the means of establishing Missouri's Honor System as a worthy tradition.

"1. I favor the general principles of an Honor System."

"2. I will keep square myself (neither receiving nor giving aid)."

"3. I will do my best to build up a general sentiment favoring the Honor System."

"4. I will use my influence with my department in the University to adopt methods of securing closer co-operation on the part of students in upholding the principles of the Honor System."

"5. I will speak to anyone whom I may see acting contrary to the principles of the Honor System and will use my influence to secure a change of attitude."

"6. I will report to the proper authorities persons found abusing the privileges of the Honor System."

WOMEN'S GYM CLASSES GROW

Physical Education Shows Rapid Increase Despite Limitations.

The growth of the department of physical education for women at the University of Missouri is shown by an increase of more than 800 per cent in students enrolled in courses leading to specialization in physical education, during the last three years. The number of women taking special courses in 1917-18 was six, while the enrollment for this year totals fifty.

Further development in this department, according to Miss Helen D. Gath, will depend upon improvements in the facilities for handling the students. The present gymnasium, which is smaller than an ordinary basketball court for girls, is hardly adequate to accommodate the average freshman-sophomore class of sixty-five. There are 650 women enrolled in the required courses for freshmen and sophomores. These courses require one hour of physical education twice a week.

In comparing the development of the department at the University of Missouri with that of the University of Wisconsin, Miss Gath attributed the cause of their growth and increased enrollment to the installation of a greater number of courses in that field of specialization and to the Woman's Building, in which there is a large gymnasium and other facilities necessary to a physical education department. The statistics show that there were twelve students enrolled in physical education at Wisconsin in 1912 at the opening of the Woman's Building and the installation of additional courses. From 1920-21 there are 160 specializing in that work.

Since 1918 a number of changes have been made in the department here resulting in its betterment. The instruction

force has been increased from one to three full-time instructors. The gymnasium requirement has also been increased. The requirement will be raised to four times a week for two years as soon as a larger gymnasium can be provided to accommodate the increased number of classes.

The color tournament in basketball is a new feature added to inter-class athletics in the last three years. There are more than 200 girls who play on these tournament teams that supplement regular class practices. These practices must be held at night in Rothwell Gymnasium as the present woman's gymnasium is not large enough to permit a court to be laid out.

There are three interpretive dancing classes, two elementary and one advanced, in which 125 students are enrolled. Since 1918, sixteen women have been graduated from this department, and all of the six graduates of 1920 are holding responsible positions as physical education instructors in various schools throughout the United States.

SHORT COURSE ENDS FEB. 26

14th Live-Stock Judging Contest to Be Held at Close of Term.

The second term of the Short Course begins January 3 and closes February 26. This is a time when work on the farm is not so heavy and the students can complete this term and return to their homes before the busy spring work begins.

This work is open to any student who has a common school education and who is more than 16 years old. The work is designed to meet the needs of those who have not had the opportunity to complete a four-year high school education and will equip them with a knowledge of farm problems of greater value than could be worked out in their community in a lifetime.

Upon the satisfactory completion of four terms of work, comprising two years, a certificate, signed by the president of the University and the dean of the College of Agriculture, will be received by

the student.

The fourteenth annual Live-stock Judging Contest for short course students will be held at the close of the second term in February, 1921. These are some of the prizes offered to the short course students who excel in livestock judging: The Rotunda Percheron Medal to the best judge of horses, the Rinehart Mule Medal to the best judge of mules, the Richards Poland China Medal to the best judge of swine and the Good Donald Hereford Farm Medal to the best judge of beef cattle.

The College of Agriculture investigated 554 farmers' income in one Missouri county and found that the educated farmers' income was 71.4 per cent larger than that of the untrained farmer. The same general fact has been found to be true by other agricultural colleges and by the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

"SNAKE" FEET NOW IN STYLE

New Yorkers' Shoes of Reptile Skin—Rainbow Colors Reign.

By United Press.

New York, Dec. 22.—The "snakes in the grass" are now found upon Milady's feet. For, according to the really swaggy Gotham boot shops, putting one's best foot forward means, stepping out in footgear made of snake skin. These shoes are often gilded or silvered. It is only the scales that tell the secret, for the general effect is very much like that of gold cloth slippers. Another reptilian fancy found in the season's footgear is the use of fringed and light soft leathers; the effect is meant to resemble an adder's or dragon's tongue.

Color and luxury is not found in evening shoes alone. Brilliantly dyed leathers abound upon the street, in the hotel and theater, and in the exclusive shopping districts. It is no uncommon sight

to see vermilion kid slippers or walking shoes upon the street, while brown, blue and green shoes are being worn by the leisure crowd, as much as brown and black are worn by the working woman.

Henna is the very latest shade, and is found in a soft antelope leather. Antelope, by the way, is being used as much as kid for the lighter weight shoes. Copper kid slippers are its nearest rival; and red calf is devoted mainly to sport oxfords, with the fringed tongues in a contrasting color.

Shoe dealers sweepingly declare that there has never before been a year when high shoes were so utterly out of the running—and walking. A few high Russian boots of white, brown, copper and scarlet leathers, with collars at the top of the lacing, are sold. But, barring these, the only high shoes which are in

demand are those of ten or twelve straps with nothing between the strap apertures. The two-strap sandals with a semi-French vamp and very low heels that are selling for Southern wear, and New York women are flaunting gray suedes with two straps as much as anything else. Some shoes have metal straps and others straps of contrasting color and fabric. Black or brown patent kids, with brass straps and buckles are very chic just now.

To Prepare Paper on Poultry.

Prof. H. S. Kempster chairman of the poultry department, has been asked to prepare a paper for the International Poultry Congress which is to be held at the Hague next September. It will be published in four languages. Professor Kempster is going to write on the "Relation of Carotinoide Pigments to Poultry."

Bids for School Signs.

Sealed bids for signs for Rural School Houses of Boone County must be in by 4:00 p. m. Monday, December 27, 1920. Bids should be mailed or brought to the Office of Superintendent of Boone County Schools.

Signs must be made of good quality black iron 34 inches long and 2 feet wide. One coat of paint on back and two coats of white paint on front, and the name of the school house and the number of the district in black letters. Adv.

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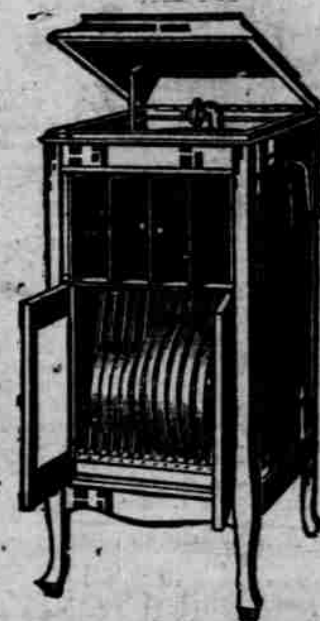
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